

NO. TORRANCE GROUP TO HEAR CLERK
 City Clerk A. H. Bartlett will Association on December 8 at be the guest speaker at the Higgins Brickyard, according to regular meeting of the North H. Frank Lush, Torrance Civic Improvement

'NATIONAL NEWS, IN NATIONAL NEWS

Congratulations from industrial plants all over the U. S. are being received by the Torrance Plant of the National Supply company this week following the announcement that the company's employee publication—"The National News" had won nationwide recognition.

The publication placed eighth in a country-wide contest sponsored by the Freedoms Foundation.

A telegram received by John D. Spalding, works manager, this week read:

"Mr. D. O. Belding and Mr. E. F. Hutton and the undersigned trustees of Freedoms Foundation are happy to inform you that the 1949 official awards jury has selected your company from nationwide entries for the eighth highest award in the company employee publication category.

Ceremonies will be arranged in your home community for award of honor medal and cash award during February. Congratulations."

The wire was signed by Kenneth Dale Wells, executive vice-president of Freedoms Foundation, Inc., Valley Forge, Penn.

Due to receive the actual award is Karl E. Hansen, superintendent of industrial relations, who is largely responsible for the prize winning magazines style and appearance.

Editor of the monthly magazine is Mrs. Blance Nasy, Mrs. Nagy is also treasurer of the Southern California Industrial Editors Association.

Just Another Version of 'Now You See It, Now You Don't'

Six dollars was the price this lady paid for being courteous to a door-to-door magazine salesman.

Mrs. X, who wishes to remain so identified, recently purchased subscriptions to four magazines from a fast-talking door-to-door solicitor. As a bonus she was handed a voluminous and hefty cloth-bound cook book. For these she gave the salesman \$6. He gave her the book and the receipts for the magazines and went next door to a neighbor.

In a few moments he was back.

"Lady, the neighbor next door is interested in the cook book and I just discovered I gave you the last book. Would you mind if I borrowed it long enough to show your neighbor?" The alleged salesman asked.

Mrs. X gave the salesman the book.

What happened to the book and the smiling salesman is not difficult to imagine.

On the heels of this came a warning from Police Chief John Stroh for housewives to report all door-to-door solicitors—especially those selling vacuum cleaners, Christmas cards, and photographs.

Local housewives have fallen victim recently to peddlers taking money for all three of these items and offering no receipts—and no merchandise.

He suggests housewives stall the salesman and phone the police department immediately.

LIKE MOTHER-IN-LAW—
 The rhinoceros has little intelligence and a bad temper.

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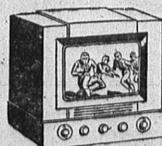
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